

PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS SECTION
Examining Board of Architects, Landscape Architects,
Professional Engineers, Designers and Land Surveyors
MINUTES
MADISON, WISCONSIN
April 16, 1999

PRESENT: Harvey Shebesta, Frank Fronczak; Nancy Sobczak (by telephone)

EXCUSED: Lynda Farrar

STAFF PRESENT: Alfred Hall, Wayne Austin, Jan Bobholz, Jan Neitzel, Becky Fry; other Department staff and Division of Enforcement staff were present for portions of the meeting.

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order 9:00 a.m. by Harvey Shebesta, Chair. A quorum of three members was present.

AGENDA

MOTION: Frank Fronczak moved, seconded by Nancy Sobczak, to adopt the agenda as published. Motion carried unanimously.

MINUTES (3/5/99)

MOTION: Nancy Sobczak moved, seconded by Frank Fronczak, to approve the minutes as written. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Nancy Sobczak moved, seconded by Frank Fronczak, to abbreviate the agenda to case closings and pending applications. Motion carried unanimously.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

Secretary Cummings' Report

Nothing to report.

Bureau Director's Report

Nothing to report.

Applications Approved by Staff

MOTION: Nancy Sobczak moved, Frank Fronczak seconded, that applications be reviewed by Harvey Shebesta and Frank Fronczak. Motion carried unanimously.

Regulatory Digest

Nothing to report.

To Pass Folder

None.

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

Repealing the 12-Year Experience Requirement

Deferred to next meeting.

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES UPDATE

Plan Submittal Requirements

Deferred to next meeting.

SECTION MEMBER ACTIVITY

Deferred to next meeting.

**APPLICATION REVIEW-SELECTION OF FOREIGN CREDENTIAL EVALUATION
SERVICE**

Deferred to next meeting.

PRACTICE ISSUES

Nothing to report.

EXAMINATION ISSUES

Deferred to next meeting.

NCEES

Central Zone Meeting Report

Deferred to next meeting.

ACCREDITATION BOARD FOR ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

ABET Program Equivalency

Deferred to next meeting.

Abet Approved Program Equivalency

Deferred to next meeting.

MISCELLANEOUS CORRESPONDENCE/INFORMATION

Software Engineering

Deferred to next meeting.

National Society of Professional Engineers

Deferred to next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

None.

RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

MOTION: Nancy Sobczak moved, seconded by Frank Fronczak, to convene the meeting in Closed Session pursuant to sections 19.85(1)(a), (b) and (f), Wis. Stats., to consider the licensing or discipline of a person licensed by this section or the investigation of charges against such a person. Specifically, to discuss the issue of case status reports, case closings, examination issues, deliberations on stipulations that may be signed after printing of the agenda, pending applications, requests for reinstatement of licensure, and to hold class 1 hearings on denied applications of Tracy Pinkowski and Moud Ahmad. Motion carried by a roll call vote: Frank Fronczak-yes; Nancy Sobczak-yes; Harvey Shebesta-yes.

Open Session recessed at 9:18 a.m.

CLOSED SESSION

The Section deliberated on one case closing, pending applications, Certificate of Authorization applications, and class 1 hearings.

Tracy Pinkowski and **Moud Ahmad** appeared for class 1 hearings before the Section.

RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

MOTION: Nancy Sobczak moved, seconded by Frank Fronczak, to reconvene in open session at 1:19 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

VOTING ON ITEMS CONSIDERED OR DELIBERATED UPON IN CLOSED SESSION

CASE CLOSINGS

MOTION: Frank Fronczak moved, seconded by Nancy Sobczak, to close 99ENG003; respondent-**David Kadnick**, with a letter of concern. Motion carried unanimously.

APPLICATION REVIEW

MOTION: Frank Fronczak moved, seconded by Nancy Sobczak, to approve the following applications reviewed by the Section on April, 16, 1999.
Motion carried unanimously.

For Registration As A Professional Engineer

- By the 16-Hour Written Examination--Granted-4

Meisner, Alan P.
Schneider, Paul

Nodorft, Jeffrey J.
Schmidbauer, John

- By The 8-Hour Written Examination--Granted-2

Michaelson, Jill E.

Thao, Vu

For Principles & Practice of Engineering Examination

- By 8 Years of Experience--Granted-7

Brown, Paul
Liebmann, Richard J.
Nelsen, James A.
Patel, Pravin H.

Houshmand, Aliasgher
Meinhardt, Douglas P.
Nelson, Dennis

MOTION: Nancy Sobczak moved, seconded by Frank Fronczak, to approve the eligibility application for the principles and practice of engineering examination for **Tracy Pinkowski** and **Moud Amad**. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Frank Fronczak moved, seconded by Nancy Sobczak, to approve the applications for Certificates of Authorization for **Dunham Associates, Inc., Minneapolis, MN.** and **Facilities Design, Inc., Columbia, PA.** Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Nancy Sobczak moved, seconded by Frank Fronczak, to reaffirm the denial of eligibility application for the principles and practice of engineering examination for **Brandon Nikolash**. Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Nancy Sobczak moved, seconded by Frank Fronczak, to adjourn the meeting at 1:26 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.